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U.S. Department of Transportation  
Attn: DOT Docket Office (OST-97-2557) - 16  
400 Seventh St. SW  
Washington, DC 20590

RE: AirTran Airways Service to LaGuardia, New York

Gentlemen:

I urge you to give strong consideration to the proposed service from Toledo to New York on AirTran Airways. AirTran began providing flights from Toledo to Orlando last year and Toledo Express passengers have witnessed a large savings, something we all look for in today's economy.

New York is a major destination for many of our top businesses and no direct flight is available for busy travellers. The addition of a direct, low-cost flight would add valuable time and savings to our community. This link to the Northeast would also boost economic development opportunities for Northwest Ohio.

Thank you for your consideration to the very important request.

Sincerely,

L. Craig Bergman  
Director, External Affairs  
Northern Region

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cc: Mark D. VanLoh

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